

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following claims as amended:

Claims 1-19 are cancelled.

20. (currently amended) A method for removing a nacelle assembly from an engine, the engine being fixed to an air frame, the nacelle comprising a generally annular body having an air inlet and an air outlet, a first attachment means and a second attachment means, said generally annular body encircling a region of the engine when working in operative association with the engine, said first attachment means being attached to a rigid member and a second attachment means being attached to a casing assembly on the engine, the method comprising the steps of:

releasing the first attachment and translating the nacelle substantially parallel to the axis of the engine, and

disengaging said nacelle assembly from said casing assembly by releasing said second attachment means wherein said engine remains fixedly connected to said air frame while said nacelle is translated and disengaged from said casing assembly.